



Come along and drop in to our Community Evenings

Exciting Plans for our Towns

Are you interested in finding out the future of your town? Shoalhaven City Council is inviting you to come along and drop in to one of three free community information evenings anytime between 6 pm - 8pm showcasing Council's plans and upcoming works. There will be a variety of stalls that people can visit to find information about Council projects, current plans on exhibition and project updates.

This is your chance to talk face to face with the people planning the Shoalhaven's future. Gain firsthand facts from area specialists on projects and strategies that will make the Shoalhaven an even better place to live.

These free community evenings will showcase Council's Delivery Program and Operational Plan, asset renewals, how the Special Rate Variation will be spent, Coastal Zone Management Plans, where Developers funding will be spent, learn more about recycling and the West Nowra Transfer Facility, the future strategy of Libraries, the new Shoalhaven Animal Shelter and news from Shoalhaven Water.

Visit this family friendly information night to gain more insight into the future of our towns in a relaxed atmosphere.

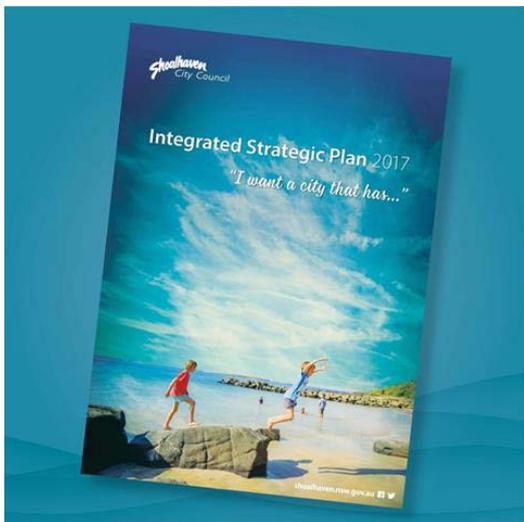


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You are welcome to drop-in to the community evenings any time between 6pm to 8pm on:

- Tuesday, 29 May 2018 - Nowra School of Arts, Berry Street Nowra
- Thursday, 31 May 2018 - Ulladulla Civic Centre, 81B Princes Highway, Ulladulla
- Thursday, 7 June 2018 at Vincentia Public Hall, Lot 13 Coles Car Park, The Wool Road Vincentia.

There will be a children's play corner, lucky door prizes and light refreshments. [Click here](#) for more information.



[View the Integrated Strategic Plan](#)

Budget, Rates and Plans

The Integrated Strategic Plan is Council's primary strategic planning document that outlines the community's aspirations and long-term vision for the City. It is prepared by Council in collaboration with and on behalf of residents, businesses, all levels of government and local agencies, to help build and maintain a vibrant and sustainable future for the local community.

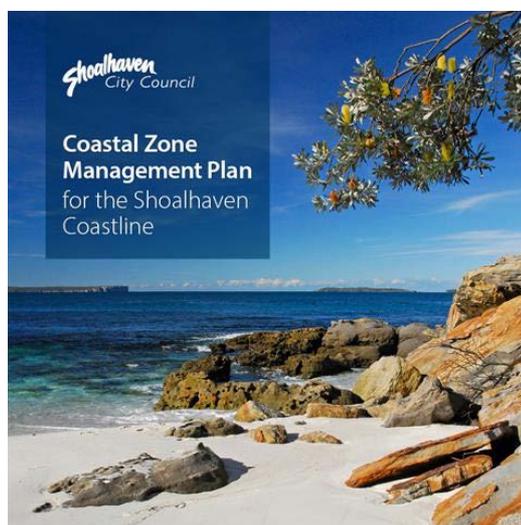
View the [plan](#), learn more about where the special rate variation will be spent and see the proposed budget when you drop into the Information Evenings.

Shoalhaven Coastal Zone Management Plan

To manage coastal risks and hazards such as damage from storms, beach erosion and rising sea levels, Council initially developed its draft Coastal Zone Management Plan (CZMP) in 2012. Since that time, Council has collaborated with the community and coastal engineering experts, to update the plan. The updated document, the draft 2018 CZMP is now on public exhibition as part of the process to seek certification of the Plan from the State Government.

Certification of the Plan is crucial, so that actions implemented as part of the Plan are eligible for funding under the State Government's Coastal and Estuary Grant Program.

The draft CZMP 2018 can be viewed at Council's [website](#), Council Administrative Offices or Nowra, Sanctuary Point, Ulladulla and Milton Libraries until 5pm Tuesday 12 June, 2018. Talk to staff at our Information Evening to learn more about the Plan.



[View the Coastal Zone Management Plan Here](#)

Future Plans for our Libraries



[Read the Shoalhaven Libraries Strategy](#)

Shoalhaven Libraries provides services from four static library facilities (Nowra, Sanctuary Point Library, Milton Library and Ulladulla Library and Visitors Centre) and provides a mobile library Service throughout the 49 towns and villages of the region.

The role of libraries and their relationship with users is constantly changing. New technology, along with increasing financial pressures, a changing demographic in the Shoalhaven and new social trends means that Council needs to develop a new strategy to deliver cost-effective services throughout the region.

Council is seeking community [feedback](#) on what our library services should look like in the future. Speak to the Library staff at our Information Evenings to learn more.

Roads and Amenities

Find out more about the roads, pathways and amenities which will be built, renewed or upgraded over the coming financial year.

Find out how Council determines which roads and amenities will receive attention and how works are prioritised.

Did you know: Council has almost 500 km of underground storm water pipe across the Shoalhaven.



[Click here for Road Updates](#)

Shoalhaven Animal Shelter

Council will temporarily undertake the operation of the Shoalhaven Animal Shelter after the RSPCA decided to withdraw from managing Council animal shelters across NSW in the future, allowing them to



[Learn more about the Shoalhaven
Animal Shelter](#)

concentrate on their core focus of animal welfare.

Services Unit Manager Michael Jarman said, "Our main aim is to ensure the animals we find receive the best care and can be adopted to caring people."

The Shoalhaven Animal Shelter will also move into its brand-new premises on the corner of Nowra Hill Road and BTU Road, Nowra Hill from Mundamia in June 2018. The new shelter has been built to ensure safety and comfort for the animals. [Learn more](#), volunteer or help sponsor the Shelter. Visit our stall at the Information Evening.

We look forward to seeing you drop in to the Community Evenings over the coming weeks.



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